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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Patrick V. Warren et al.
Serial No. : 09/481,733
Filed : January 11, 2000
Title : TRANSAMINASES AND AMINOTRANSFERASES

Art Unit : 1652
Examiner : Elizabeth Slobodyansky, Ph.D.

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 2327
Arlington, VA 22202

TRANSMITTAL LETTER AND PETITION FOR AUTOMATIC EXTENSION

Correspondence relating to this application is enclosed. The required fees are computed below. Please apply any charges not covered, or any credits, to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

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Independent	5	-	3	=	2	\$84
First Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claims						\$0

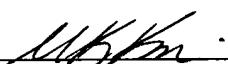
Applicant hereby petitions under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 for a 5 month extension of time.

Request for Continued Examination Fee	\$985
	\$375
TOTAL FEE DUE	\$1480

A check for \$1480 is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: 2/24/2003


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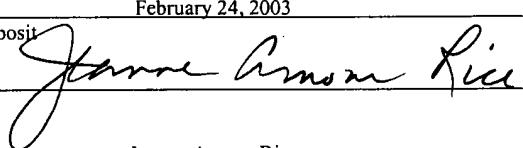
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